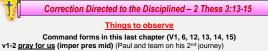


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- a v1 relative to God's word ..

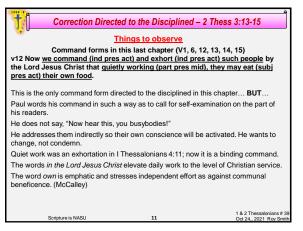
1) that the word of God may keep on advancing(run) freely (subjunctive) 2) that the word of God may be honored(extol or magnify in thinking) among men. ie be unhindered and appreciated, even as it is with you, running freely & honored Only true of Philippian and Thessalonian churches Paul was actively involved in how God's word should be received....

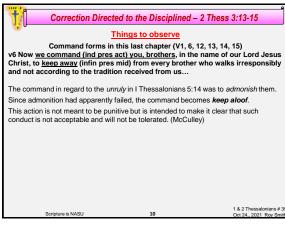
## v2 relative to God's workers.

Scripture is NASU

that we may be delivered from the unreasonable men... Delivered, psychological, physically, from out of place people, poneros wicked By weakness, or aggressiveness -- Teaching God's Word always brings antagonism from sin natures -- Reason? "for the faith is not of all men" not all have the faith "Paul was a very great apostle. But his greatness consisted not so much in sheer native ability (though he had his share of that) as in his recognition of his dependence on God. It arises out of this that he so often requests the prayers of those to whom he ministers." (Constable)

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& 2 Thessalome

